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1. The Acumulatorul factory, located at Calea Dorobantilor Number 105, was created by the merger of the Tudor factory in Bucharest with several other enterprises, including the Rova, Akko, and Galvani factories at Timisoara.
2. Approximately 320 workers and 80 officials are employed. Lazar Geza, the technical manager, was formerly employed at the Galvani factory.
3. The factory produces storage batteries for automobiles, diesel motors, naval ships, railroad passenger coaches, tanks, and other military uses. In 1951 the factory began to produce special storage batteries for antiaircraft installations.
4. Production capacity is 100 tons of batteries per month. In 1951 shortages of raw materials arose when the USSR requisitioned the products of factories which were supplying the Acumulatorul factory. Half of the output of the factory goes to the USSR, and the remainder is distributed to state enterprises, the army, and the Rumanian railroads.
5. Sheets of lead are obtained from Baia Mare and sulphuric acid from Campina.

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